

AMUSEMENTS.

Three plays considerably above the average, one night of grand opera and a week of vaudeville performance as good as any presented here during the season...

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Boy, one of the very few "coon" songs that have outlived the brief period of life the average song of the sort is allotted...

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The rehearsals of Gounod's "Messe Solennelle" (St. Cecilia) for the 10-30 o'clock service on Christmas morning at St. John's church, California street, are progressing nicely under the direction of Mr. Theodore A. Watterson. The entire work will, on that occasion, be performed for the first time in this city. Gounod's "Messe Solennelle" is probably one of the most famous masses written, and is sung in all the great choirs

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